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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

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IN RE APPLICATION OF :
Norihiko INAGAKI, et al :
SERIAL NO: NEW APPLICATION :
FILED: HEREWITH :
FOR: GAS BARRIER FILM HAVING :
POLYPROPYLENE AS A BASE FILM :
AND METHOD OF MANUFACTURING :
THE SAME :

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20231

SIR:

Preliminary to an action on the merits of this case, please amend the above-identified application as follows.

IN THE CLAIMS

Please cancel Claims 1-3.

REMARKS

This is a Divisional Application of Serial No. 09/586,790, filed June 5, 2000, drawn to the non-elected invention therein, in response to the Restriction Requirement of December 29, 2000 in the parent case, traversed in the response of January 19, 2001.

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